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Springfield/Buerkett #2 (31st Street)

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Mr. Merle Buerkett
R. R. #2, Koke Mill Road
Springfield, Illinois 62707

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Dear Mr. Buerkett:

Your solid waste disposal facility located on the southeast side of Springfield was inspected on June 19, 1981, by David C. Jansen, representing this Agency.

The inspection disclosed the following conditions, which constitute violations of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act and Chapter 7 of the Illinois Pollution Control Board's Solid Waste Rules and Regulations:

... Previously deposited demolition waste consisting primarily of brick and wood had not received daily cover. This demolition waste is located on the east edge of Pit C and just south of the shredder building in Pit A.

... Daily cover was not being provided adequately in Pit C near the active area. All solid waste received daily must be covered with a minimum of six (6) inches of compacted suitable natural earthen material by the end of that day's operation.

... The completed portions of your site have not received an adequate depth of final cover. The areas found to be deficient are in Pits A and B.

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> ... Leachate was seen seeping and ponded on the south edge of Pit B. Immediate action should be taken to correct this situation.

Your early compliance in this matter will be appreciated. In the event that you have any questions regarding compliance, please feel free to contact Mr. Jansen or me at the above number.

Sincerely,

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Monte M. Nienkerk Central Region Manager Land Field Operations Section Division of Land/Noise Pollution Control

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Enclosure

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